

# SECTION OF TRANSITION MEDICINE

## SECTION ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- The Section has been working to create the Center for Pursuit–Transition Medicine Clinic, which will provide convenient access to medical care and services for patients with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families in the fall of 2021.
- The section received \$355,000 in funding through research activities and grants.
- This was the inaugural year for the Adult Developmental Medicine One-Year Fellowship Program, which provides education and leadership training in healthcare delivery for adult patients with intellectual and developmental disabilities.



SECTION CHIEF

*Cynthia Peacock, MD*



***Dr. Jordan Kemere and Dr. Ellen Fremion pose with the inaugural round of the Transition to Adult Care Mentorship Participants at Baylor College of Medicine's McNair Campus. Sponsored by the Texas Council for Developmental Disabilities, this work will continue with new rounds of mentors through 2023.***

## FACULTY

### **Section Leadership**

Cynthia Peacock, MD, FACP, FAAP – Medical Director and Transition Medicine Section Chief

### **Faculty**

Elisha Acosta, MD

John Berens, MD

Ellen Fremion, MD, FAAP, FACP

Jordan Kemere, MD

Fellow: Kathleen Irby, MD

## HONORS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

### **Transition Medicine Team**

- Received the Patient Experience Team Award in recognition for leading the way in quality, patient safety, and patient experience, for FY21 Quarter 2 (October-December 2020).



*Transition Medicine Team: Patient Experience Team Award.*

### **Ellen Fremion, MD**

- Top Doctors, *Houstonia* Magazine
- Norton Rose Fulbright Teaching Award

- Nomination for the Clark Professionalism Award

**Jordan Kemere, MD**

- Golisano Health Leadership Award, Awarded by Special Olympics Texas, 2021



*The Transition Medicine Team poses in the waiting room of the clinic, located at the McNair Campus.*

## RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

### Grants

**Ellen Fremion, MD (PI) / Jordan Kemere, MD (Co-PI)**

- Caregiving for Adults with Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities during the Covid-19 Pandemic, Working for Inclusive and Transformative Healthcare. December 2020-December 2021

## CENTERS

**The Center for Pursuit** promotes the pursuit of choice, growth, and independence for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities, autism, or similar conditions. The Center will house the new Transition Medicine Clinic to provide medical care and services to patients in the fall of 2021.





*Center for Pursuit rendering.*